

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

THE TARIFF FILING OF SOUTH CENTRAL)	
BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY REQUESTING)	
AUTHORITY TO WAIVE THE SERVICE)	CASE NO. 8454
ORDER CHARGE FOR CUSTOM CALLING)	
SERVICES)	

O R D E R

On December 30, 1981, South Central Bell Telephone Company ("Bell") filed a tariff with the Commission requesting to waive its service order charge for establishing Custom Calling Service during periods of special promotion. On February 12, 1982, the tariff filing was suspended for further investigation.

The Commission, having considered the matter and being advised, is of the opinion and finds that:

1. The Commission has approved similar tariff filings involving design line telephone sets and, in 1978, Custom Calling Service.
2. No objections or motions to intervene or contest the matter have been filed with the Commission.
3. The tariff filing is non-discriminatory within the meaning of KRS 278.160 and KRS 278.030, since all eligible customers may subscribe to Custom Calling Service.
4. The tariff filing should result in a net revenue contribution and place no revenue burden on the general ratepayer.

5. The tariff filing should be approved for a 1-year period, on and after June 1, 1982.

6. Bell should maintain records concerning Custom Calling Service subscriptions during the life of the tariff and report to the Commission on or before July 1, 1983, in a manner methodologically consistent with the burden test filed April 19, 1982.

7. The general ratepayer should not absorb any revenue shortfall resulting from Custom Calling Service special promotions.

8. A hearing in the matter is not in the public interest.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Custom Calling Service tariff filing be and it hereby is approved, effective June 1, 1982, through May 31, 1983.

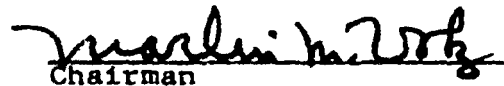
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Bell shall maintain Custom Calling Service order records during the life of the tariff and file a burden test report with the Commission on or before July 1, 1983.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that no revenue shortfall resulting from the tariff filing shall be absorbed by the ratepayers.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Bell shall file revised tariff sheets with the Commission within 20 days from the date of this Order, stating the rules and regulations herein approved.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 1st day of June, 1982.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:

Secretary